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-Applicant: Daniel K. Podolsky Art Unit: 1645
Serial No.: 09/313,434 Examiner: Patricia Ann Duffy
Filed: May 17, 1999 Customer No.: 21559
Title: TREATING EYE DISORDERS USING INTESTINAL TREFOIL
PROTEINS

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PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)

Applicant hereby petitions, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c), to withdraw the above-captioned patent application from issue. The issue fee has been paid.

A Request for Continued Examination pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is enclosed herewith.

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